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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.56

Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Submitted herewith on Form PTO-1449 is a listing of documents known to applicant in order to comply with applicant's duty of disclosure pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56. A copy of the listed documents is being submitted to comply with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 & 1.98.

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CONCISE EXPLANATION OF RELEVANCE OF EACH DOCUMENT

The listed document is being submitted in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.97(b)(1), submission within three months of the filing date of the application.

The relevance of the attached documents is discussed in applicant's specification.

Applicant respectfully requests that the listed documents be considered by the Examiner and be made of record in the present application and that an initialed copy of Form PTO-1449 be returned in accordance with MPEP §609.

Respectfully submitted,

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